



**Executive Order
From the
Office of the Mayor**

Whereas, On the third of August 1990, former United States President George H. W. Bush declared the month of November as Native American Heritage Month; and

Whereas, The City of Albuquerque recognizes the contributions made by Native Americans since time immemorial, long before our founding; and

Whereas, Cultural diversity is one of the many things that makes Albuquerque unique, which is why we focus on championing all of our communities, including our neighbors of Isleta, Sandia, Santo Domingo, Laguna, San Felipe, Santa Ana, Kewa, Jemez and the Navajo Nation; and

Whereas, The City of Albuquerque pledges to maintain strong relationships with Tribal nations across New Mexico, and will continue to protect the vibrancy of traditions passed down through generations; and

Whereas, The City of Albuquerque recognizes the inalienable Rights of Native Americans and Indigenous Peoples by recognizing the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples; and

Now, Therefore, I, Timothy M. Keller, Mayor of the City of Albuquerque, do hereby proclaim, November, 2019, as:

"Native American Heritage Month"

T. Timothy Keller
Timothy M. Keller, Mayor

Attest:

Kathy Duhigg
Kathy Duhigg, City Clerk

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